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In re Application of :
Waeschenbach et al. :
Application No.: 09/744,726 :
PCT No.: PCT/TR99/00034 :
Int. Filing Date: 29 July 1999 : DECISION
Priority Date: 29 July 1998 :
Attorney Docket No.: 11777-678001 :
For: Element For Separating An Electrolytic Tank :

This is a decision on applicant's "Reply To Decision Dismissing Petition Under 37 CFR § 1.182" filed on 18 March 2002.

The renewed petition is accompanied by a Declaration naming all of the joint inventors and executed by Enric Carbonell and Guido Waeschenbach. Together with the declaration filed on 04 April 2001 which names all of the joint inventors and is signed by Ralf Wiedemann, Ludwig Hertling and Natascha Wolf, this declaration satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b). Since the requirements for the petition under 37 CFR 1.182 have been satisfied, the petition is **GRANTED**.

This application is being forwarded to the United States Designated/Elected Office for further processing. The date of this application under 35 U.S.C. 371 is **18 March 2002**.

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